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Applicants : Harumitsu MIYASHITA et al.

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For : WAVEFORM EQUALIZER FOR A REPRODUCTION SIGNAL
OBTAINED BY REPRODUCING MARKS AND NON-MARKS
RECORDED ON A RECORDING MEDIUM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the title as follows:

IN THE TITLE

Please change the title of the application from "EQUALIZER AND PRML DETECTOR" to ---WAVEFORM EQUALIZER FOR A REPRODUCTION SIGNAL OBTAINED BY REPRODUCING MARKS AND NON-MARKS RECORDED ON A RECORDING MEDIUM---.